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Carnival, Parade and Band Concert a Brilliant Success

August 13th was a gala day for South San Francisco. The grand carnival and benefit ball held under the auspices of the South San Francisco Grove Druids, Societa Operaia Mutuo Soccorso and Corte Sempione Foresters for the benefit of the South San Francisco Band was a grand success.

The parade, which started from Pala's Hall, was one of the finest pageants that has ever been seen in South San Francisco. The following is the line of march: H. W. Kneese, marshal; Professor Cheli Rudofa at the head of the South San Francisco Band and then came the floats.

The South San Francisco Grove Druids outdid themselves in representation of their historical and ancient lodge.

The Corte Sempione Foresters' float, representing the forest, with their queen, Miss Clairina Raffaelli, and Robin Hood, Mr. M. Menucciani, and lead by their famous drum corps, was one of the most gorgeous spectacles of the parade. One of the most patriotic features was the carrying of a large American flag by ten small boys, who seemed to recognize the honor bestowed upon them.

Last, but not least, came the Societa

Operaia Mutuo Soccorso. The beautiful representation of the Goddess of Liberty by Miss Della Belloni was received with great enthusiasm along the line of march.

Much credit is due to our citizens in participating in the parade with their decorated automobiles. Following the parade a grand out-door concert was given in the new grandstand. This was climaxed by a grand ball in Metropolitan Hall which lasted until 12 p. m.

Great credit is due to the arrangement committee for the way they conducted and brought to such a great success, on such short notice, this carnival and ball. The Misses Margaret Schmidt, Olga Bartoli, C. Menicari, Rina Ferrari and Anita Cohen are given due thanks from the committee in charge for the faithful work they did in serving refreshments.

The arrangement committee—consisting of Messrs. E. Menucciani, E. Beltrami, G. Beltrami, P. Santini, M. Menussiani, G. Franceschini and A. Consioni—wish to thank the lodges, automobile owners and all those who helped in making this carnival a grand success.

MENLO FLOWER SHOW TO BE HELD IN REDWOOD CITY

The Menlo Park Horticultural Society will hold its flower show in Redwood City this year, probably in October. The committee representing the society appeared before the Redwood City Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night and announced that the society would like to hold the show in Redwood this year, but would want the moral support and some assistance from the chamber if it did so. The boosters immediately agreed to the proposition. A committee composed of F. E. Beck, George Peterson and Kenneth Murray was appointed to take the flower show plans in charge.

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COMMERCIAL

SAVINGS

FORMER LOCAL GIRL MARRIED TO EASTERN MAN

Miss Gretchen Cushing, who resided for several years in this city, was married on Friday to Harry Myers of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Myers was well known in this city and her many friends wish her much happiness. They sailed on the steamer "Queen" for Los Angeles and from thence will travel to Washington, where Mr. Myers is employed in the government offices.

The Woman's clubhouse is now in sight and, from all reports, will be started soon. Get ready and help them to "own their own home."

ESCAPED CONVICT TAKEN

Sheriff Michael Sheehan on Thursday arrested Arthur H. Ross, a Folsom convict who escaped from a grading gang a week ago. Ross had served sixteen months of a three-year term for grand larceny. As soon as Sheriff Sheehan was notified of Ross' escape he watched for him at Menlo Park, where his wife formerly lived. He recognized him by his photograph as soon as he stepped off the train.

Metropolitan Hall, August 23d. Come and have a good time.

OHIO BUILDING AFLOAT

The Ohio building, which was the admiration of the throngs that visited the Panama Pacific International Exposition, passed this city Wednesday on the bay. It was afloat on a barge captained by H. L. Hatch, and at the end of its trip will have floated twenty-five miles. After it is landed on the beach at San Carlos it will be transported overland to its site.

Ladies' Aid Social.

The regular monthly Ladies' Aid social will be held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Martin Wednesday afternoon, August 20th. All friends cordially invited.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PLAN BIG OUTING AT LA HONDA

San Mateo Council, Knights of Columbus, is planning a big time at their outing to La Honda to-morrow. It is expected that over a thousand persons will be present from all over the county and from different parts of the state. Mass will be said in the open air under the redwoods. Among the committee that has charge of the affair are J. J. Hahir, James T. O'Keefe and Miles Sharkey of Redwood City.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The meeting was called to order by J. H. Kelley, president of the board. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A resolution ordering work under Resolution No. 27 was passed.

Several claims against the city were allowed and ordered paid.

A resolution was introduced touching on the traffic of liquors and its second reading was held.

The meeting then adjourned until August 1, 1916.

BAND CONCERT

Another regular Saturday evening band concert will be held in the new band stand to-night by the South San Francisco Band. The programme will be as follows:

March, "Heroes of Luzon".... E. Doble
Concert waltz, "Italian Night".... Tobani
Overture, "Light Cavalry".... Suppe
A Mexican Idyl on the Mesa Grande
..... Massiger
Selection, "The Merry Widow"....
..... Franz Lehar
Concert waltz, "El Bacio".... Arditi
March, "Salute to Kansas City"
..... Southwell
Prof. Cheli Rodolfo, Director.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Directions for entering the Great Profit-Sharing Prize Campaign:

Get application blanks at any of the stores and fill out and mail or take to the drugstore. You will receive a number and be placed in the contest list.

Nominations open till Sept. 5, 1915. Votes obtainable at all stores. H. A. CAVASSA.

August 26th dance by Girls' Club of All Souls' Church.

FORMER LOCAL SCHOOL TEACHER MARRIED

Miss Josie Kreiss became the bride of John E. Waibel of San Jose in San Francisco Saturday. The ceremony was performed at the Congregational Church and was witnessed by the family and a few of the intimate friends of the bride and groom.

After the good wishes of those present were offered to the young couple they started on their honeymoon, the location of which was kept secret.

Mrs. Waibel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kreiss of Redwood. She has many friends here who will be pleased to hear of the marriage. She is a graduate of the Sequoia High School, also the State Normal School in San Jose. Until the end of the last term Mrs. Waibel was a teacher in this city.

Upon their return from the honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Waibel will reside in San Jose, where Waibel is engaged in the hardware business.

BELMONT MAN IN FATAL COLLISION IN COLMA

Preston A. Blake, buyer for a vegetable market in San Francisco, was fatally injured last Saturday night when an auto driven by Benjamin Richardson crashed into the buggy in which he was riding on School street, Colma. Richardson urged him to go to a doctor and offered to take him in his machine, but Blake refused, saying he was not hurt. The next day he was found about twenty-five feet from the accident in a dying condition and was taken to the local hospital, where he passed away. The man had been drinking heavily before the accident. Blake leaves a widow, Ethel Blake, and a son and daughter, Roland Blake and Miss Gladis de Mars, all residing in San Francisco.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

Mrs. A. Hynding was in Redwood City Thursday.

J. W. Jones and wife of Sisson were here Wednesday.

Frank Broach, from Chicago, was here on Tuesday.

R. S. James of San Francisco was a visitor here on Monday.

Fred ("Red") Hulbert of Chicago arrived here on Tuesday.

Mabel Golding of San Francisco was here yesterday visiting friends.

W. H. Dinning left to-day for a week's vacation in Lake county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hyde, formerly of this city, were here on Thursday.

Ben Swanson and Oscar Van Shaft bought a Ford automobile last Saturday.

The Misses Sylvia and Stella Daneri of Half Moon Bay were here on Tuesday.

The dance given by the Foresters in Metropolitan Hall on Tuesday night was a grand success.

John Marley of Pittsburg, and formerly of this city, was here on Tuesday.

Paul Lloyd moved into the Labour-dette house on Baden avenue this week.

Mrs. Z. Rollins of Burlingame was visiting Mrs. D. L. Mahony of this city on Tuesday.

Woman's Club whist party and dance, Metropolitan Hall, August 23d.

Dr. T. C. Doak returned Thursday from a vacation in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. John Nolan of San Francisco was in town Tuesday looking after her property here.

Frank Knowles, a former old-time resident of this city, was here Friday visiting.

Don't forget Saturday, August 26th.

E. C. Peck of San Francisco moved from that city to his new home on Eucalyptus avenue.

J. Butler, employed at the local steel mills, went to Portland, Oregon, to bring his family to this city.

Jack Lodge, William Hickey, Harry Harder and John Fischer went on an automobile trip to Half Moon Bay.

B. Blackshear and B. Blockson of Seattle were here this week and will be employed at the local steel mills.

Walter Money, who has been under the care of Dr. Leo J. Flanagan for blood poisoning, is rapidly improving.

Paul Washington of this city returned on the U. S. S. "Rainbow," after a long cruise to China, last Saturday.

A. P. Scott brought home a forked-horn deer with him on Wednesday, after a short hunting trip to Point Arena.

Mrs. Roy Sisson and son of Montana were visiting friends in this city Sunday. Mrs. Sisson left Monday for San Diego.

Mrs. G. H. Morse and children of Vallejo, who have been visiting Mrs. Morse's sister, Mrs. H. E. Coyle of this city, returned home on Tuesday.

At present the Woman's Club has no place to meet for evening entertainment, and they fondly hope the day is not far off when they can have a clubhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Maynard and son will be at home at 449 Grand avenue about September 1st. Until then they are located at the Metropolitan Hotel.

On Saturday, August 26th, the Girls' Club of All Souls' Church will give another dance in Metropolitan Hall. The admission is 25 cents, and judging from former occasions everybody will have a good time.

BOXING CONTEST

The South City Athletic Club will hold its monthly boxing contest in Metropolitan Hall on Monday evening, August 28, 1916.

The main event, between "The Hoosier Kid" and Young Ketchel, will be the best fight ever witnessed in this city. "Fighting Bob" has been training for this fight for two weeks and will be in tiptop condition. Young Ketchel is a fast boy from San Francisco.

In the special event Joe Rose of the Association Club meets "Kid" Fitzpatrick of the Geneva Club.

Three other bouts are billed.

FIRE TRUCK SHIPPED

The Seagrave auto fire truck, which was ordered built by the city board of trustees at a cost of \$6,100, was shipped from St. Louis on August 14th and will arrive here the end of this month.

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD LAD MISSING

Sheriff Michael Sheehan has been asked by Frederick Mutto of Colma to look for his son George, who has been missing since he left school Monday afternoon.

Don't forget the 23d in Metropolitan Hall.



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Executive Secretary Charles R. Thorburn of the Industry League of California states that the famous Bishop Brothers are behind the new company, which is to be known as "The Marysville Woolen Mills Company, Incorporated," and that after their blanket department is successfully started, the manufacture of fabric for woolen clothing will also be entered upon on a large scale by the newly

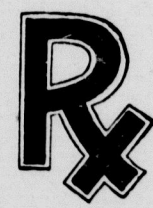
For pure pathos and dramatic interest, "Madame Butterfly," which was directed by Eidney Olcott, has few equals in the whole realm of fiction and of the stage. With these splendid settings which have been produced as the background of Miss Pickford's unexcelled art, the photo-adaption ranks as one of the foremost productions that patrons of the Royal Theatre have ever been privileged to see.

"Recent investigations of government experts prove that there exists below the Mission district of San Francisco and below the city of Marysville subterranean lakes of water containing chemical ingredients that are ideal in the manufacture of wool," says the secretary of the Home Industry League, "and it will be a matter of but a very short while when California Woolen cloth and woolen blankets will be the talk of the world. Various capitalists are now investigating the conditions with a view of going in 'big' and planning advertising campaigns of international dimensions."

A cat once had the misfortune to break one of its forelegs and was carefully tended by its owner. One of the members of the family, a kind hearted old woman, was especially kind to the animal and gave it numerous extra delicacies. In due time the cat recovered, but it had the wit to see the connection between its broken leg and the solicitude of the woman and accordingly concealed the fact. When unobserved it ran about like any other cat, but on the approach of the tender hearted woman immediately began limping on three legs.

There is a story of a man, desperately ill, who, having passed the crisis of his ailment, needed only, so the doctors asserted, an incentive to recover. He had dire misfortunes and had lost all interest in living. Neither his business nor his motorcar nor his children nor his wife sufficed to lure him back to the trials of temporal existence. Then some inspired relative thought of the cookbook. She put it into the hands of the sick man as he lay withering on his pillow. He turned it over languidly; then he fluttered the pages with transparent fingers. Presently he asked to be propped up in bed. Before long he was whispering fervidly of what he was going to eat when he got well—those pig hocks with dumplings, hot waffles and sirup, schnitt-bohnen with sour sauce. What were rissoles and ramekins and bannocks? And why had he never known about toad in the hole? These were the sentiments that wooed him back to life.—New York Mail.





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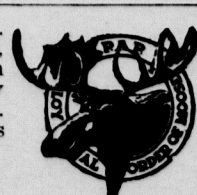
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Daniel Hyland, Chief of Records.



South City Aerie, No. 1473, F. O. E., meets every Tuesday evening in Metropolitan Hall, 8 o'clock.
Emil Daneri, Worthy President.
W. J. Smith, Secretary.
Visiting brothers welcome.

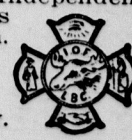


South City Lodge, No. 832, L. O. O. M., meets in Metropolitan Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
Visiting brothers welcome.



M. R. Craig, Dictator.
Henry Veit, Secretary.

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The subject of the pastor's discourse at St. Paul's Methodist Church on next Sunday evening will be "The World Situation." This subject is by the request of the recent general conference of the church held at Saratoga Springs. It is a survey and summary of the world in relation to the progress of Christianity by the church. A cordial invitation to all to attend.

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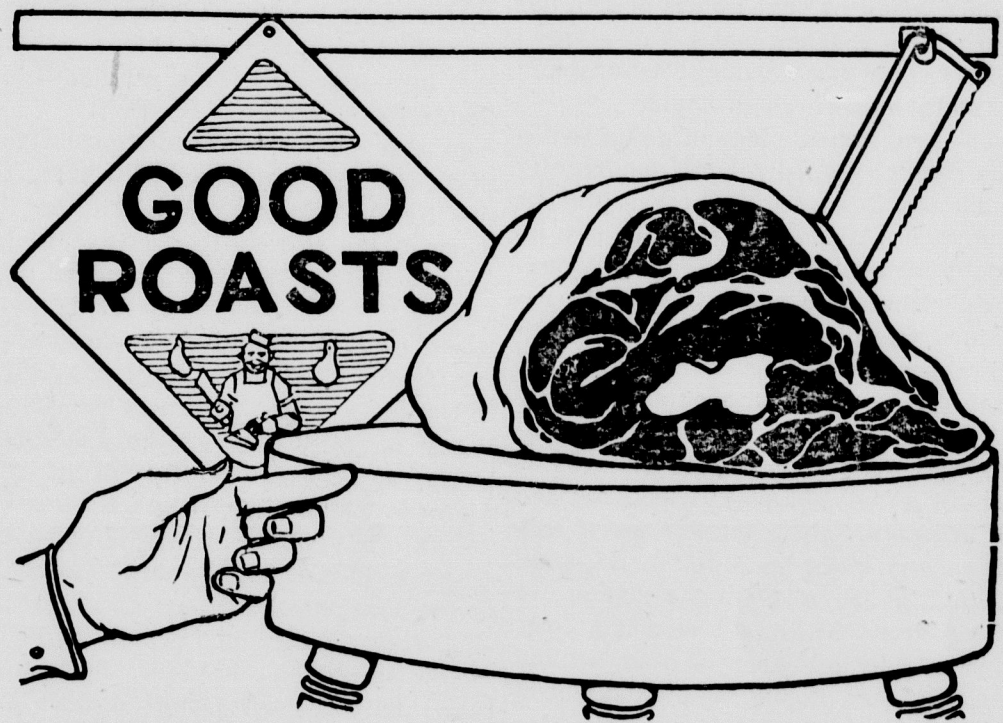
Program Week Commencing Sunday, August 20th:
Sunday—Mary Miles Minter in "Lovely Mary," five acts.
Monday—Ninth episode "Mysteries of Myra" serial.
Tuesday—Mary Pickford in "Madame Butterfly," five acts.
Wednesday—Vaudeville and Professional Tryouts.
Thursday—Victor Moore in "Chimmie Fadden Out West," five acts.
Friday—Second story "Who's Guilty?" series.
Saturday—Florence Reed in "The Woman's Law," five acts.

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An ocean steamer was going to pieces on the eastern coast of Canada. She had struck during a storm and too far out for a line to be shot to her by the men of the life saving station. And now that the storm was abating and there was a possibility of a boat reaching her it was too late. Persons were struggling in the water, but few were reaching the shore. The life savers succeeded, after a number of futile attempts, in launching a boat and making a trip toward the wreck and at last brought back several persons, among whom was a little boy about five years old, who had been secured to an improvised raft.

The child's identity was never discovered. He was adopted by a family of country people living on the coast, and when eighteen years old shipped on a steamer as deckhand. But he had some education, and it was not long before he was made a subordinate officer. The steamer on which he was wrecked was called the Alexander Hamilton, and the boy took this for his name. He knew nothing of the great statesman of that name, therefore his act was not immodest.

It was evident from young Hamilton's personality that he was a child of aristocratic lineage. Those who knew how he had been picked up from the wreck wondered why those connected with him by blood had not found him. Before going to sea he had been advised to hunt up his origin, but more than a dozen years had elapsed since he had been brought ashore, and he knew not where to begin.

The young man's idea of going to sea was that he hoped for an opportunity to visit points of interest in different countries. When he drew his pay he would invariably use it for this purpose. During a voyage his ship remained some time at Tangier, opposite Gibraltar, unloading and taking in Arab goods. Hamilton obtained leave to visit Seville in Spain. Having artistic tastes, he visited a gallery containing some pictures, works of the old masters. Stopping before a Madonna and child by Murillo, he stood looking at it, a feeling growing up within him that he had seen it before. Presently he felt assured that he had not only seen it, but that it had been very near to him. The face of the Madonna was associated in his mind with some loved memory.

"It may be," he said to himself, "that the picture is a key to my childhood."

If this were so it might be possible for him to find the lock.

An object had come to the young man. The circumstances attending his having been taken by shipwreck from his natural surroundings had cast a gloom over him. Now he brightened up and resolved that he would follow the clew on detective principles and never give up the search so long as there was a ray of hope. Sitting on a bench before the picture, he gave himself up to mental investigation. This was the result: Either his parents had brought him to Seville, where he had seen the picture, or he had somewhere seen a copy of it.

He went to every hotel in the city, got permission to look at the records previous to the time of the shipwreck and asked every landlord whether he remembered hearing of any one who had been at his house being lost on the steamer from which he had been saved. But this investigation led to no result.

He next turned his attention to the matter of any copy that might have been made of the picture. After much questioning he found that but one copy had ever been made and that was for a bishop of the Roman Catholic church. Hamilton discovered who the bishop was and went to the episcopal palace. The bishop was dead, but a priest told the searcher that copy was intended for a rich Englishman, who as a price for it gave a large sum to the church.

Hamilton's next move was to learn the name of the Englishman. The priest examined papers back for more than twenty years and found letters written eighteen years before from the man for whom the copy had been made, one letter giving directions as to where it was to be sent. The name was John N. Boyington, — Harley street, London.

Hamilton had money enough to take him to London, but no more. He decided to make the journey, and if he discovered no relative he would ship

on some vessel found for America. On reaching London he found that John Boyington had been an eminent surgeon, but was not an old man and retired. The sailor went to his residence, was ushered into the drawing room, and there on the wall hung the copy of the Murillo "Madonna and Child." When Dr. Boyington came down to see him and Hamilton told his story the old man sat silent for a time, then said:

"I believe that you are my grandson. Your father married an American lady, and a son was born in this house. That picture was placed in my daughter-in-law's room shortly before you were born, that the mother might have a fitting object before her. When the boy was four years old my son and his wife visited America. They were lost on the return voyage on a ship called the Alexander Hamilton."

"That was the ship from which I was saved."

Hamilton, or rather Boyington, is now a wealthy Londoner.—By Sarah Barter.

The list of candidates for nomination for various offices at the primary election August 29 includes thirteen newspapermen, according to Friend W. Richardson, president of the California Press Association. Congressman C. H. Randall of the Highland Park Herald and Congressman E. A. Hayes of the San Jose Mercury are candidates for re-election. Robert Harbison of the San Bernardino Sun is a candidate for Congress.

In the contests for nomination for State Senator are Thomas Ingram of the Grass Valley Union, William A. Rugg of the Martinez Gazette, Will R. Sharkey of the Martinez Standard and Joseph Bredsteen of the Eureka Labor News. In the fight for the Assembly are George H. Buchrad, former editor; H. D. DeGaa of the Willows Transcript; Percy H. Millberry of the Lakeport Press, J. Sherman McDowell of the Alameda Times-Star, Frank Kasson of the Palo Alto Times, Crombie Allen of the Ontario Report, Frank F. Merriam of the Long Beach Press and Ray D. McFarland of the Folsom Telegraph.

Newspapermen holding hold-over terms in the Senate are Herbert W. Slater of the Santa Rosa Press-Democrat and Lyman M. King of the Redlands Daily Facts.

A sale of a large quantity of mountain laurel roots from one of the national forests in the Southern Appalachians is reported by officials in charge, who say that the roots will be used to make pipes.

The mountain laurel root is similar in appearance to the French briar, which the majority of pipe smokers are said to prefer. The French briar is the root of the white heath or "bruyere." These roots are gathered in large quantities, and after being cleaned and sawed into blanks they are placed in hot water and simmered for twelve hours or more. This process gives them the rich hue for which the best pipes are noted. It is said that in 1915 the value of the blanks shipped to this country was almost \$300,000, and in addition a large number of finished pipes were imported.

On account of the present scarcity and high price of French briar, a number of pipe manufacturers in this country have been on the lookout for substitutes, and the Forest Products Laboratory has conducted experiments to determine the availability of other woods. It is reported that the mountain laurel root burns out more readily than briar, but forest service experts are trying to find a method of hardening the wood, and have succeeded to an appreciable extent. They have also found that mountain mahogany, caencthus and manzanita, which are abundant in California, give promise of yielding material which will be the equal of French briar in every way.

Other woods now widely used for pipe making are apple wood, red gum, ebony and birch, together with smaller amounts of olive wood, rosewood and osage orange.

Considerable amounts of the laurel roots are being used, and officials expect to make further sales. The lands purchased by the government in the South Appalachians are reported to contain unlimited quantities of laurel,

which is widely known for the delicate beauty of its flowers. In places it forms extensive thickets, which are almost impenetrable. Visitors to the mountains say that in the spring these thickets, or "pink beds," as they are called by the mountaineers, are indescribably beautiful and form one of the main attractions of the region.

The sales of laurel root will not be made at places frequented by tourists, or where the removal of the laurel will detract from the beauty of the landscape.

California Inventors.

The following patents were just issued to California clients, reported by D. Swift & Co., patent lawyers, Washington, D. C., who will furnish copies of any patent for ten cents a piece to our readers:

F. DeVaux, San Jose, friction drive attachment for bicycles (sold); F. E. Fishing, Eureka, cutting mechanism for display racks; M. French, Petaluma, door lock; B. F. Luick, Pomona, wire reel (sold); M. B. Mathewson, Alameda, scale-forming apparatus (sold); O'Connor, San Francisco, belt-jack (sold).

Washington.—Increasing use of the national forests for municipal camp sites and summer school locations is reported by the Forest Service. Permits have already been issued to several cities and educational institutions and other applications are expected. Officials say that far more people use the forests for public playgrounds than for any other purpose, and that this use promises to be one of the most important to which they can be put.

The city of Fresno, California, has been granted a permit for the use of a fifteen-acre camp on the shores of Huntington Lake, in the Sierra National Forest. It is reported that the

city will establish a camp in which outings during the summer months will be provided at low cost for 11,000 school children and their parents.

In the same forest a California state normal school is now occupying a tract of land which is rented from the government under a long-term lease. A number of buildings have been erected, all of which, as well as many cottages and camps, are supplied with water from a water system installed by the Forest Service. In connection with the regular six weeks' summer course, this school gives a course in woodcraft and general forestry subjects. The students visit the nearby Forest Service ranger stations and lookout towers and study the government's methods of fire protection. Addresses on the work of the Forest Service are given by officials from time to time. The Georgia state forest school has a camp on private lands on the Georgia national forest, where a summer course is given. A feature of this course is a series of talks given by members of the Forest Service stationed in the vicinity.

Los Angeles was the first city in California to establish a vacation camp in the national forests. A tract of land in the Angeles forest has been rented and a large camp built, costing about \$8,000. This camp consists of a log and stone lodge, forty-six furnished cottages, tennis and croquet courts, baseball grounds and handball courts. A ten-day trip can be made for a small cost which is within the reach of practically every one. By this means thousands of residents of the city have been able to send their vacations in the mountains.

It is also reported that a San Francisco association is considering the establishment of a summer home for girls at Lake Tahoe, on the Tahoe national forest. Boy Scout troops

national forest. Boy Scout troops regularly camp in several of the forests, and on one forest the Y. M. C. A. of a nearby city has leased a lot and put up a permanent camp.

Officials say that the national forests offer unlimited opportunities for summer school and municipal camps, as well as the best opportunities for recreation to be had anywhere in the country. Ample provision is made for campers and tourists. Hunting and fishing are allowed in season, and there are no restrictive regulations beyond those regarding forest fires.

Washington.—What is believed to have been one of the longest tropical hikes ever made by American troops thrown on their own resources in a hostile country was the hike made by the Eighth Company, Fourth Regiment of United States Marines, when it covered in a day and a night, on July 2d and 3d, the 111 kilometers between Monte Christi and Santiago, Santo Domingo, after fighting most of the way. It is seventy-six American miles between these two points, and the hike was the third longest ever made by the United States Marine Corps under any circumstances that approached warfare.

With a handful of United States marines, Colonel Pendleton maintained, unbroken, an eighty-mile line of communication, and the quick settling of the Dominican trouble is probably due, in the opinion of marine corps officials, to the rapid hike of the marines to the interior of the county. The natives have been disarmed and there is no further fighting.

The expeditionary force, under Colonel Pendleton of the Marine Corps, consisted of two regiments of marines.

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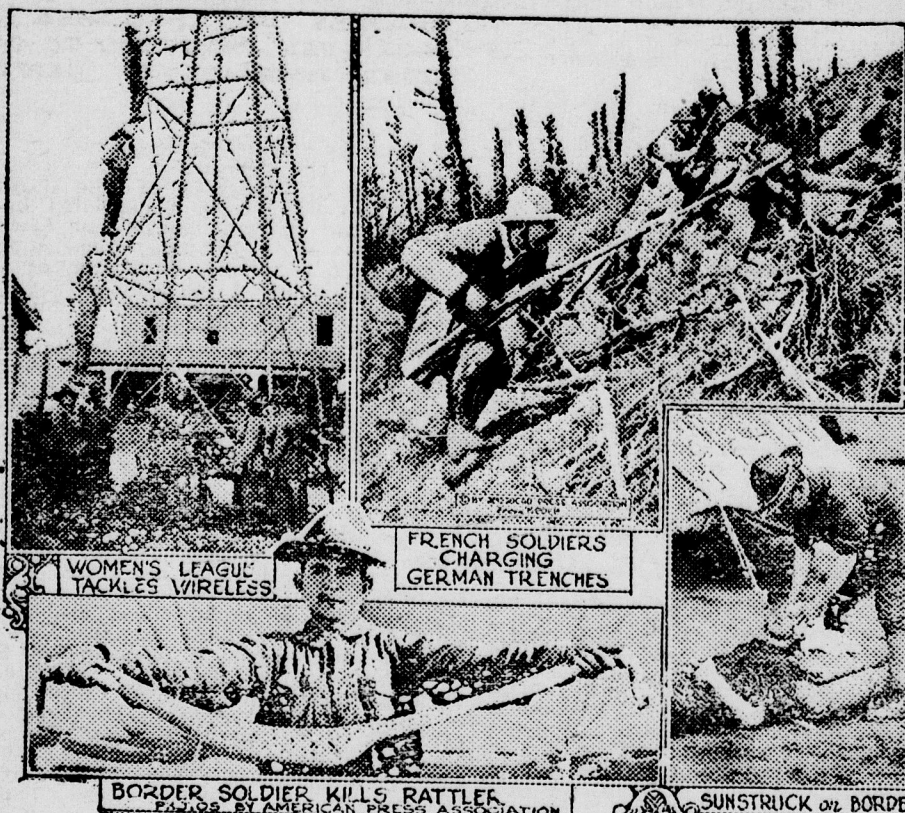
third: Sincere but mistaken people who are misled by the promises and statements of the professional politicians and reformers.

Which deserves the greater consideration—the opinion of these eminent men, or the opinion of the prohibitionist?

If you were in doubt on some other great public question would you take the unanimous advice of these men *or the advice of the prohibitionists who live in your neighborhood?*

If you want information regarding any special phase of the prohibition question write to us and we will gladly answer your questions

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News Snapshots Of the Week

Judge William L. Chambers, Judge Martin A. Knapp and G. W. W. Hanger, federal commissioners, worked hard to prevent a strike which would tie up all the railroads in the country. French soldiers again attacked German trenches and reported some headway. There was much speculation as to the fate of the German submarine Deutschland in her spectacular dash for the other side. The Women's League For Self Defense was organized in Long Island, New York. They will do duty in strikes and give first aid to the injured. There were many tales from troops on the border. Some were stricken by heat, others were busy catching rattlesnakes. General von Linsingen defended the German line from Russian attacks.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS IN BRIEF

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That It Will Appeal to All Classes of Our Readers.

Berkeley's assessed valuation is \$45,051,614.

The bean harvest began in Owensmouth last week.

The total assessed valuation of Kern county is \$91,079,914.

There are about 1200 acres of tomatoes in the Fullerton section.

The first sugar beets ever shipped from Owensmouth left there for Oxford.

For \$225 five men have purchased an entire town. It is the town of Mission, and it was auctioned off.

Major George E. Heber has opened a recruiting station for the United States Army in El Centro.

The forty-ninth annual fruit growers' convention of California will be held in Napa November 15, 16 and 17.

L. K. Vaughn, temperance worker, has proposed to the City Trustees of Woodland the recall of Mayor C. R. Wilcox.

The great council of the Redmen and of the Women of the Pochontas Degree of California convened in Eureka last week.

Joe Partain, a Williams gardener, is this year raising cucumber seed for the Morse seed Company. He estimates his crop at 1000 pounds.

A forest fire on the banks of Bear river in Nevada county and also in Placer county burned over more than 100 acres of timber land.

The new Sacramento river bridge at Dunsmuir will cost close to \$45,000. Its total length is 532 feet. It spans the railroad as well as the river.

Fifteen counties in the State have taken advantage of securing the services of a farm adviser as provided by an act of the last Legislature.

An additional (or excess) tax is recommended by the State Tax Commission to discourage the large holding of unimproved lands in California.

Decided gains in Republican registration in Kern county give that party a lead of 571 over the Democratic registration in a Democratic stronghold.

Large catches of fish in Chips creek, Yellow creek, Three lakes, Box creek and Feather river are reported by the Western Pacific representative at Bel-den.

Lance Bukes, who broke away from the convict camp at Manzanita Hill Wednesday was captured later by Sheriff A. F. Ross and Constable Ed Dickinson.

As a precaution against any possible contingency that might arise in the future, the University Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene of Pasadena has incorporated.

Wild game has appeared at the gates of Pasadena. J. B. Roe reports that his home site has been visited twice recently by bears which came down from the mountain.

Aeronaut Billy Little miraculously escaped death at Seal Beach when the large balloon and parachute used for exhibition flights dropped with him from a height of 1000 feet.

A sixth escape from the Manzanita hill convict camp of road workers Wednesday and the recapture of one of those who previously escaped is the record for one day last week.

A proposal to irrigate and reclaim 262,000 acres of Tulare Lake basin, Kings county, at a cost of approximately \$6,000,000, is now being presented to owners of land in that region.

The Diamond Match Company at Chico will enlarge its factory, the work to begin in about two weeks. The addition to the buildings will cost \$150,000, and new machinery, \$100,000.

Miguel Bragas was killed and Dominga Silva terribly cut when the two men, both Mexicans, fought a duel to death in the dark room of a bunkhouse on the Bliss beet ranch near Visalia.

Mrs. Stasia Hill of San Francisco was elected grand president of the Young Ladies Institute of California at the eighteenth annual convention of the organization held in Sacramento.

The Sportsmen's Club of Grass Valley will hold their annual campstew this year as usual. It will be the thirty-fifth consecutive anniversary of the original gathering and will be on September 6.

Faster morning and evening schedules have been inaugurated on the Los Angeles railways. This move, it is announced, was brought about by the necessity of meeting jitney competition.

The Sacramento river bridge at the upper end of Dunsmuir, under construction on the line of the State Highway, will be completed by September 1 as far as the pouring of cement is concerned.

Ray Ulrey, a student of Chaffee Junior College, Ontario, Cal., left Yosemite Falls Camp a few days ago for Oregon on a bicycle after cycling more than 600 miles from San Diego through the high Sierra.

Options have been secured by the Grape Day Association for the purchase of 20,000 pounds of muscat grapes for free distribution on the occasion of the ninth annual grape festival at Escondido, September 9th.

Councilmen learned a few days ago for the first time that Los Angeles possesses a strip of coastline four miles long, running from the Santa Monica Canyon to within half a mile of the Topanga Canyon road.

Because the Pacific Electric desired a franchise that would not require a double-track line within the city limits of Whittier a new franchise was asked and the City Council has granted such franchise for the price of \$100.

An appropriation of \$5000 for the annual salary of a superintendent and assistants of the new Lassen Volcanic National Park in California has been recommended by the Treasury and the Interior Departments to Congress.

Hundreds of automobiles and commercial floats paraded the streets of Sacramento August 9, in honor of Good Roads Day, fixed by Governor Johnson as part of the national touring week in the interest of improved highways.

The Colton Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the proposition of a farm bureau and farm adviser for San Bernardino County after the presentation of the matter by delegations from the Redlands and San Bernardino chambers.

The Colusa City Trustees have decided to raise the levee along the water front two feet, from the Farmers' warehouse to the west limits of the city and that portion from the warehouse to the bridge will be raised three to four feet.

Mrs. Albert Gordon, a widow with two small children, of Reedley, went to San Francisco a few days ago. While shopping she lost or some one took from her purse \$95, her entire fortune. Detectives passed the hat to aid her temporarily.

The date of the election of the organization of the proposed Honey Lake irrigation district has been set by the Board of Supervisors for September 7 in response to a petition of the owners of the greater part of the acreage in the proposed district.

Vergil Edwards, who lives at the corner of Mentone and Crafton avenue, Crafton, has decided to move because he was awakened by something crawling up his leg which proved to be a big tarantula. This is the second tarantula caught at the Edwards home.

Answering the inquiry of Adjutant-General C. W. Thomas Jr. whether the State of California should pay the railroad fare of guardsmen from Nogales to their home station, Attorney-General U. S. Webb holds that it is a proper and legal expense against the State.

Superintendent David R. Jones of the San Rafael public schools, announced that he had arranged for the use of the municipal bathhouse for the swimming classes and that all students, boys and girls alike, would be required to follow their instructors to the pool at least once a week.

The postoffice department is advertising for bids for carrying the mails over the proposed new mail route between Nevada City, Tyler, Columbia Hill, Alleghany and Forest City. The distance of the route is 37 miles and a daily mail, with the exception of Sunday, is proposed.

Through the vigilance of Night Watchman T. H. McKenna, who is also city marshal of Lincoln, a serious railroad accident was averted when he noticed a misplaced rail. The second section of train No. 3, the Oregon Express, would have been wrecked with a probable loss of life.

Mrs. Ida E. Williams of Arcata, Cal., widow of Walter S. Williams, a ranchman, who was killed by being thrown from a horse on July 1 at "The Meadows" ranch, near Korbel, Humboldt County, has applied to the Industrial Accident Commission for compensation under the workmen's compensation act.

Anarchists who daily meet in Jefferson Square, San Francisco, to discuss "direct action" will do so no more. The Park Board has demanded that Police Chief David A. White enforce the park ordinance, which makes it a misdemeanor for five or more persons to congregate in a public park for any purpose.

A change of the channel of the Tule river, seven miles from Porterville, has sent the entire flow of water 100 yards from the headgate of the Pioneer Ditch Company, leaving the company, whose ditch is valued at more than \$100,000, with no water, unless the courts grant the rights to dam the river and change the channel.

A test to determine if the crust of the earth in Southern California is moving was started in Pomona when M. Steinberg of the United States Geodetic Survey established a temporary observation station in the basement of the City Hall. Similar tests will be made in twenty-eight different Southern California cities.

J. H. Gallaher was shot in the hip and leg near Junction City while calling for help to save his burning home. Herman Reashfeldt was arrested for the shooting. Gallaher's home was burned and the owner limped into Junction City at daybreak and told his story. Reashfeldt claims he was frightened by the calls of the man whose home was burning.

NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT. No. 27.

Pursuant to the Statute and to the Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, directing this notice.

Notice is hereby given that said Board of Trustees, in open session, on the 7th day of August, 1916, publicly opened, examined and declared all sealed proposals or bids for doing the following work in said City, to-wit:

Section A. That the following streets and avenues in said City of South San Francisco be improved by grading to official line and grade and upon the portions thereof hereinafter and in this section designated:

That portion of Commercial Avenue from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue to the easterly boundary line of Maple Avenue, from curb to curb; that portion of Commercial Avenue from the easterly boundary line of Maple Avenue to the westerly boundary line of Orange Avenue, for the full width thereof;

That portion of Railroad Avenue from a line twenty (20) feet easterly from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue and parallel thereto, to the westerly boundary line of Spruce Avenue and for a width extending twenty-two (22) feet southerly from the southerly edge of the gutter existing on the northerly side of said Railroad Avenue;

That portion of Maple Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the line of the southerly edge of the gutter existing on the northerly side of Railroad Avenue, produced, for the full width thereof;

That portion of Magnolia Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, for the full width thereof;

That portion of Orange Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, for the full width thereof;

Section B. That combination concrete curbs and concrete gutters and concrete sidewalks be constructed of the dimensions and at the locations shown upon the plans and specifications hereinafter referred to upon the following named streets and avenues:

That portion of Commercial Avenue from the easterly boundary line of Maple Avenue to the westerly boundary line of Orange Avenue, on both sides thereof;

That portion of Maple Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Railroad Avenue, on both sides thereof;

That portion of Spruce Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Railroad Avenue, on both sides thereof;

That portion of Magnolia Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, on both sides thereof;

That portion of Orange Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue to the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, on both sides thereof;

Section C. That concrete gutters be constructed of the dimensions and at the locations shown upon the plans and specifications hereinafter referred to, on Commercial Avenue from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue to the easterly boundary line of Maple Avenue, on both sides thereof;

That an asphaltic concrete pavement consisting of a concrete base four (4) inches in thickness and an asphaltic concrete wearing surface one and one-half (1½) inches in thickness be constructed on the following streets:

That portion of Commercial Avenue from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue to the westerly boundary line of Orange Avenue, from gutter line to gutter line;

That portion of Railroad Avenue from a line 20 feet easterly from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue, and parallel thereto, to the westerly boundary line of Spruce Avenue for a width extending twenty-two (22) feet southerly from the southerly edge of the gutter existing on the northerly side of Railroad Avenue;

That portion of Maple Avenue between the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue and the line of the southerly edge of the gutter existing on the northerly side of Railroad Avenue, produced, from gutter line to gutter line;

That portion of Spruce Avenue between the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue and the line of the southerly edge of the gutter existing on the northerly side of Railroad Avenue, produced, from gutter line to gutter line;

That portion of Magnolia Avenue between the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue and the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, from gutter line to gutter line;

That portion of Orange Avenue between the southerly boundary line of Baden Avenue and the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue, from gutter line to gutter line.

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Section E. That storm water sewers, together with all laterals, catch basins and manholes and appurtenances, of the dimensions shown upon the plans hereinafter referred to be constructed of vitrified, salt-glazed sewer pipe, in the locations particularly shown upon said plans, in the following streets:

That portion of Spruce Avenue from the southerly boundary line of Railroad Avenue to a point twenty (20) feet south of the northerly boundary line of Commercial Avenue;

That portion of Commercial Avenue from the center line of Magnolia Avenue to a point five hundred (500) feet west of the westerly boundary line of Magnolia Avenue;

Section F. That four (4) inch, vitrified, salt-glazed, iron stone pipe lateral sewers with wyes be constructed in Commercial Avenue, from the westerly boundary line of Linden Avenue to the easterly boundary line of Maple Avenue, connecting with and running from the main sewer existing in said Commercial Avenue to the curb line on each side thereof, to the number of one such lateral sewer for each separate lot or parcel of land fronting on said avenue, and that wyes be placed at the several points of connection with said main sewer.

All work herein provided for shall be done to official grade and in accordance with the special plans and specifications for said work, which plans and specifications are entitled "Plans and specifications for the construction of street improvement work on Commercial Avenue, Railroad Avenue, Spruce Avenue, Maple Avenue, Magnolia Avenue, and Orange Avenue, in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, which streets and avenues are fully shown upon the plans hereto attached, which plans are made a part hereof," which plans and specifications were heretofore adopted by the Board of Trustees on the 13th day of June, 1916, and are now on file in the office of the City Clerk and to which plans and specifications reference is hereby made for a further description of said work and for the location and extent of the work to be done hereunder, and for a particular description of the boundaries of the district hereinafter mentioned. All such work is to include any and all street intersections and street terminations and opposite terminations of, in and to all the mentioned streets and avenues within the respective lines above mentioned, as is more particularly shown upon said plans; there is excepted, however, from the above mentioned work any and all of such work as has been already done to official grade.

And said Board of Trustees did in Resolution of Intention No. 27 determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is in the district benefited by said work and improvement; and that therefore the entire costs and expenses of said work and improvement shall be made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon said lands and district, which district is within said City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, and is particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Lot numbered Ten (10) in Block numbered Eighty-two (82), as shown upon that certain map entitled "South San Francisco, San Mateo Co. Cal. Plat No. 1," which map was filed in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, California, March 1, 1892, and recorded in Map Book No. 2, at page 52; thence north 33 degrees, 15 minutes east 300 feet to the southerly line of Baden Avenue; thence along said southerly line of Baden Avenue south 74 degrees 27 minutes east 405 feet; thence south 15 degrees 33 minutes west 160 feet; thence south 74 degrees 27 minutes east 325 feet; to the westerly line of Linden Avenue; thence along said westerly line of Linden Avenue south 15 degrees 33 minutes west, 470 feet to the northerly line of Railroad Avenue; thence south 74 degrees 27 minutes east 20 feet; thence south 15 degrees 33 minutes west 100 feet; thence north 74 degrees 27 minutes west 1790 feet to the intersection of the westerly line of Spruce Avenue produced southerly, and the southerly line of the right of way of the Baden Branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company; thence north 15 degrees 33 minutes East 100 feet to the northerly line of Railroad Avenue; thence along said northerly line of Railroad Avenue north 74 degrees 27 minutes west 500 feet; thence north 15 degrees 33 minutes East 140 feet; thence north 74 degrees 27 minutes west 2120 feet; thence north 15 degrees 33 minutes east 190 feet to the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts and places included and contained.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from their date.

Reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 27 of said Board of Trustees declaring its intention to order said work to be done, for further particulars, which Resolution of Intention is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

And thereafter, on the 9th day of August, 1916, awarded the contract for said work to the lowest responsible bidder, to-wit: City Street Improvement Company, at the prices named for said work in their proposal or bid on file, as follows:

Grading, thirty (30) cents per cubic yard, asphaltic concrete pavement, ten and eight-tenths (10.8) cents per square foot, concrete curb, thirty-seven (37) cents per lineal foot, curb guard, twenty (20) cents per lineal foot, concrete gutters, fifteen (15) cents per square foot, concrete sidewalks, nine and eight-tenths (9.8) cents per square foot, lateral sewers, forty and five-tenths (40.5) cents per lineal foot, six inch by four inch "Y" branches, One Dollar (\$1.00) each, fifteen inch storm sewer, one and 35/100 Dollars (\$1.35) per lineal foot, twelve inch storm sewer, eighty-six (86) cents per lineal foot, ten inch storm sewer, sixty-seven (67) cents per lineal foot, eight inch storm sewer, fifty-five (55) cents per lineal foot, storm sewer manholes, Fifty-three Dollars (\$53.00) each, Standard storm sewer catch basins, Fifty-three Dollars (\$53.00) each, Special storm sewer catch basins, Forty Dollars (\$40.00) each.

Dated August 11th, 1916.

WILLIAM J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

By J. C. McGOVERN,
Deputy City Clerk.

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When you need good printing, visit this office.

Don't forget the 23d in Metropolitan Hall.

FRATERNAL ORDERS

(By George W. Hagedorn.)

The representatives of Tippecanoe Tribe, No. 111—A. E. Kaufman, J. A. Riordan, D. Hyland and B. Baggenstos—have returned from the California Great Councils Session at Eureka. An enjoyable trip was had; the mayor of the city turning the key of the city over to the guests, and mid business and pleasure the event will long be remembered.

Over 250 delegates, representing fifty tribes and councils of the I. O. of R. M. and Degree of Pohahontas, left San Francisco and east bay cities on the two special trains, stopping at Petaluma, Santa Rosa and northern cities en route.

Great Inchoonee F. O. Downer, of Boston, addressed the two sessions.

Great Keeper of Records Porter L. Bliss reported a gain of 1,312 in membership throughout the state during the past year, totaling 15,500 members.

Our old friends, Montezuma No. 77, took grand honors in exemplifying the chiefs' degree.

The delegates were taken out to the great forests, where the monarchs of the world live, and a mighty redwood was fallen and then taken to the mill, where it was cut up for consumption. After dancing and being banqueted the boys arrived safe and sound. A full report will be made next week.

There are critics that are sympathetic and appreciative, as well as those that are unappreciative and censorious. It does not follow that a critic is a fault-finder. Very often the critic is a merit-finder. The true critic will be more anxious to discover the good points than the bad one. We welcome the honest critic of our order, its principles and benefits.

"It Isn't Your Town—It's You."

If you want to live in the kind of a town, That is, the kind of a town you like, You needn't slip your clothes in a grip And start on a long, long hike.

You'll find elsewhere what you left behind, For there's nothing that's really new; It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town; It isn't your town—it's you.

Real towns are made by men not afraid, Lest somebody else gets ahead; Where every one works and nobody shirks, You can raise a town from the dead.

And if while you make your personal stake, Your neighbor can make one, too, Your town will be what you want to see, It isn't your town—it's you.

"Brotherhood of American Yeoman," Bay City Homestead, No. 5,527, will hold a meeting in Metropolitan Hall Monday, August 21st, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of forming a permanent organization.

Don't forget the 23d in Metropolitan Hall.

POLITICAL DATA FOR COMING ELECTIONS

The following data concerning elections and kindred subjects for the remainder of the year will be useful for reference:

Saturday, July 29th—Registration for August primary closes.

Tuesday, August 29th—Primary election.

Tuesday, September 27th—State and party conventions meet at state capital to formulate state platforms, elect state central committees and nominate electors for president and vice-president.

Saturday, October 7th—Last day to change from one precinct to another in order to be eligible to vote at general election.

Saturday, October 7th—Registration for general election closes.

Sunday, October 8th—Governor issues election proclamation.

Tuesday, November 7th—Presidential election.

ization and electing officers for the remainder of the year; also for the purpose of arranging for the big initiation to be held on the 30th of this month.

The forming of a society has the same plans to be followed as the successful orchardist, whose success lies in the planting of the best trees obtainable, suitable for the soil, climatical conditions, the removing of shrubs, clearing the ground and preparing the way for the good, healthy growth of his planting, and his prosperity is assured; by his labors the enterprise will attain value, volume and perfection, of which his first achievements are but a faint foreshadowing. The officers of a society have the making of it, and great care should be given in the selection, as the future depends upon their duties as to the enforcement of laws, social features and the charity work to which they will be called upon to respond.

It is the duty of all members to help their officers in the performance of their duty, and attend the meetings. Each member is a part owner of a society, and it is their own business. Every fraternalist should strive to do his part in the great system. Principles, rules, regulations, laws, plans and methods are all for the purpose of fostering and helping to systematic ways of living and doing things.

The price has always been paid for blessings enjoyed; no one ever gets all he desires, no one possesses all he wants; but usually he who strives earnestly achieves that for which he works.

If fraternal love held all men bound, how beautiful this world would be.

The "B. A. Y." is under the state of Iowa supervision and has always more than filled its contracts. Its rates are low, because it has no high-salaried state officials, but every Homestead does its business direct by mail. It is an American society, whose moneys are invested by the insurance commissioners of Iowa.

A new and large Homestead is being organized at Daly City, San Mateo county, by District Manager Rominger.

"WE WANT FACTORIES" IS REDWOOD SLOGAN

Redwood City is going after industries, and is determined to get them, according to the members of the chamber of commerce of that city, who held an enthusiastic meeting Tuesday night. It was decided that an industrial-getting committee should be formed and work in co-operation with the other commercial committees of the body. The idea was given popular support, and President Landscheit of the chamber is now selecting the members of the committee.

Power Propelled Vehicles.

Experiments in power propelled vehicles date back to 1770, when Joseph Cugnot, a French engineer, built the first automobile. He constructed a steam automobile that hauled two and one-half tons three miles per hour, and this vehicle is still preserved in form of a model in France. In 1802 the first practical steam automobile was built by Richard Trevithick of England, using a crank shaft for the first time and driving by gears from the engine to the road wheels. In 1821 Julius Griffiths of England gave us the first comfortable steam vehicle, the first vehicle to have a coach design of body, with seats carried on springs, as we know them today. In 1831 Summers & Ogle of England built a three wheel tubular boiler and two cylinder engine, which attained a speed of thirty-two miles per hour. The first motor vehicle to regularly carry passengers for hire was built by Walter Hancock of England in 1834. The motive power was steam.—New York Times

NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS. NO. 28.

Pursuant to the Statute and to the Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, direct- ing this notice, said Board of Trustees hereby invites sealed proposals or bids for doing the following work in said City, to-wit:

That Swift Avenue between the easterly line of the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad and the easterly end of said Swift Avenue and Walker Avenue from the westerly end thereof to a line at right angles to the center line thereof 1074.31 feet easterly from the westerly end of said Walker Avenue be improved by grading to official grade, and at the location and for the width shown upon the plans hereinafter referred to, and by constructing thereon an asphaltic concrete pavement consisting of an asphaltic concrete wearing surface one and one-half (1½) inches in thickness laid on a concrete base six (6) inches in thickness, having a width of eighteen (18) feet, and at the particular location shown on the plans hereinafter referred to; also by constructing earth shoulders on each side of said pavement at the locations and of the dimensions shown upon the plans hereinafter referred to; also by constructing a reinforced concrete box culvert and eighteen (18) inch corrugated iron culverts at the locations shown upon the plans hereinafter referred to.

All work herein provided for shall be done to official grade and in accordance with the special plans and specifications for said work, which plans and specifications are entitled "Plans and Specifications for the construction of Street Improvement Work upon Swift Avenue and Walker Avenue in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California," which plans and specifications are fully shown upon the plans hereto attached, which plans are made a part hereof, which plans and specifications were heretofore adopted by said Board of Trustees on the 20th day of July, 1916, and are now on file in the office of the City Clerk and to which plans and specifications reference is hereby made for a further description of said work and for the location and extent of the work to be done hereunder, and for a particular description of the boundaries of the district hereinafter mentioned.

And said Board of Trustees did in said Resolution of Intention No. 28 determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is, said Resolution of Intention declared to be the district benefited by said work and improvement and that therefore the entire costs and expenses of said work and improvement shall be made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The lot selling agency in the platted district of South San Francisco has been placed in charge of E. C. Peck & Co.

Mr. Peck opened offices in this city on June 1st in the hotel building and will also have a San Francisco office, occupying the entire second floor of the Flannery building on Market and Kearny streets.

A house building organization will also do business in conjunction with this agency. Salesmen desiring to handle lots in this district will apply direct to E. C. Peck & Co. at the above address.

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said lands and district, which district is within said City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the center line of Swift Avenue and distant North 89 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds East 157.13 feet from the point of intersection of the center lines of Swift Avenue and Grand Avenue; running thence north 37 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds east 63.12 feet; thence north 89 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds east 31.56 feet; thence north 37 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds east 252.48 feet; thence north 89 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds east 2409.62 feet; thence south 56 degrees 37 minutes 13 seconds east 1149.56 feet; thence south 33 degrees 23 minutes 47 seconds west 500 feet; thence north 56 degrees 37 minutes 13 seconds west 999.06 feet; thence south 89 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds west 2554.14 feet; thence north 22 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds east 216.27 feet; thence south 89 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds west 50 feet; thence north 37 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds east 63.12 feet to point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts and places included and contained.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner specified by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from their date.

Reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 28 for further particulars, which Resolution of Intention is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to the City of South San Francisco certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal or by a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount over and above all statutory exemptions.

Said sealed proposals or bids shall be delivered to the City Clerk of said City on or before eight o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 4th day of September, 1916, said time being not less than ten (10) days from the first publication and posting of this notice.

Dated August 18, 1916.

WILLIAM J. SMITH, City Clerk.

By J. C. McGOVERN, Deputy City Clerk.

8-19-21

NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCK-HOLDERS OF THE BANK OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO TO CONSIDER INCREASE OF CAPITAL STOCK.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the resolution and order of the Board of Directors of The Bank of South San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of said Board duly held on the 21st day of July, 1916, at the principal place of business of said corporation, to-wit: The Bank Building, corner of Linden Avenue and Grand Avenue in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called for and will be held at the principal place of business of said corporation, to-wit: The Bank Building, corner of Linden Avenue and Grand Avenue in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1916, at three o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition to increase the capital stock of said corporation from Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), divided into Five Hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each, to One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), divided into One Thousand (1000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each.

By order of the Board of Directors.
Dated July 21, 1916.

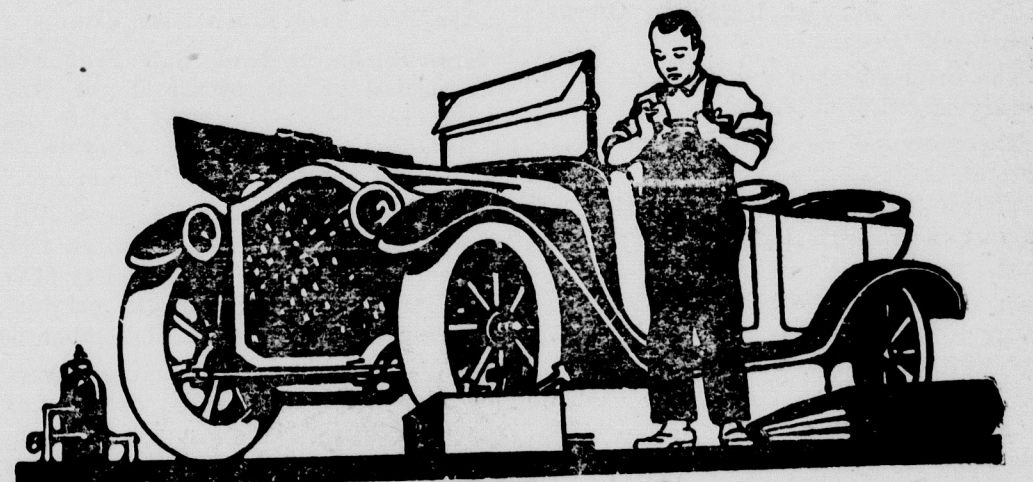
D. W. RATTI, Secretary of The Bank of South San Francisco.

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